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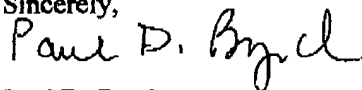
Re: Request for continuation of DRYBEDOC patent application;

DRYBEDOC THE EMBOL Language Private Communication System

Application # 09/822,475 Publication # US-2003-0126644-A1, 7-10-03

As the enclosed letter states I injured my spinal cord October 25, 2004, and have been hospitalized since. Due to the injury I have been unable to respond to the denial of the stated patent application. I request a continuation of resolution for a period of 6 (six) months in order for me to recover from my injury.

Sincerely,



Paul D. Byrd

Central Fax  
Received 3/11/05



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In Reply Refer To:

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Re: Paul D. Byrd  
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To Whom It May Concern,

Mr. Byrd is currently an inpatient at the Dallas Veterans Hospital Spinal Cord Injury Center. He has been hospitalized since 10-25-04 for a new spinal cord injury. He will continue to be hospitalized for several more weeks.

Sincerely,

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